I am against the idea of allowing cell phone telephone use aboard airplanes, even though it would be of great convenience to me because I travel frequently for business and pleasure. I am against allowing this because many people do not realize when they are speaking on a cell phone that they are speaking loudly and, thus, they violate the privacy of those near them. This is particularly true of men with deep voices.

It would be fine for the FCC to allow cellular text messaging or any other cellular phone services that are quiet; however, I shudder to imagine what will happen when people are kept awake on red-eye flights by those who do not have the common courtesy to keep their phone call volumes low - allowing such behavior will surely open up the door to an increase in "air rage."